

**U .S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
CRIMINAL DIVISION
COUNTERTERRORISM SECTION
EXPERIENCED ATTORNEY, GS-14/15
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: 05-CRM-CTS-016**

<u>About the Office:</u>	The Counterterrorism Section (CTS) is responsible for assisting in the design, implementation, and support of law enforcement efforts, legislative initiatives, policies and strategies relating to combating international and domestic terrorism.
<u>Responsibilities and Opportunity Offered:</u>	The Office is seeking an experienced attorney to work in the Domestic Terrorism Program. This Program is responsible for monitoring of domestic terrorism investigations and prosecutions throughout the country, providing assistance to U.S. Attorneys' Offices and federal law enforcement agencies on domestic terrorism matters, and providing guidance to the field on legal issues pertinent to domestic terrorism matters. Working closely with CTS National and Regional Antiterrorism Coordinators and the Anti-Terrorism Advisory Council Coordinators and terrorism prosecutors in U.S. Attorneys' Offices throughout the country, attorneys in this Program promote the enforcement of terrorism and other applicable statutes through coordination and expertise relating to domestic terrorism groups and incidents. In appropriate cases, Program attorneys participate in the litigation arising from domestic terrorism investigations and prosecutions. In addition, Program attorneys are engaged in policy development, training, public speaking and topical writing in this enforcement area.
<u>Qualifications:</u>	<p>Required qualifications: Applicants must possess a J.D. degree, be duly licensed and authorized to practice as an attorney under the laws of a State, territory, or the District of Columbia. Applicants must have at least four or five years of post J.D. experience to be qualified at the GS-14 or 15 level.</p> <p>Preferred qualifications: Applicants should possess excellent analytical and writing skills and significant criminal trial experience.</p>
<u>Travel:</u>	Travel will be required infrequently.
<u>Salary Information:</u>	GS-14: \$88,36 - \$114,882 per annum GS-15: \$103,947 - \$135,136 per annum
<u>Location:</u>	Washington, D.C.
<u>Relocation Expenses:</u>	Relocation expenses are not authorized.
<u>Submission Process and Deadline Date:</u>	To apply for this position, please submit a resume and/or OF-612 (Optional Application for Federal Employment), a current SF -171 (Application for Federal Employment), a cover letter (highlighting relevant experience), a writing sample (no longer than 10 pages) and a current performance appraisal, if applicable to:

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No telephone calls please. Applications must be received by November 7, 2005.

Internet Sites:

This and selected other legal position announcements can be found on the Internet at:
<http://10.173.2.12/oarm/attvacancies.html>.

For more information about the Criminal Division, please visit the Criminal Division Web page at
: <http://www.usdoj.gov/criminal/criminal-home.html>

Department Policies:

The U.S. Department of Justice is an Equal Opportunity/Reasonable Accommodation Employer. It is the policy of the Department to achieve a drug-free workplace, and the person selected will be required to pass a drug test to screen for illegal drug use. Employment is also contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a background investigation adjudicated by the Department of Justice.

The Department of Justice welcomes and encourages applications from persons with physical and mental disabilities and will reasonably accommodate the needs of those persons. The Department is firmly committed to satisfying its affirmative obligations under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, to ensure that persons with disabilities have every opportunity to be hired and advanced.